



## Dairy, Livestock and Poultry Pools Great Drive - June 8-28

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#### OIL COOK STOVES With the famous ROCKWEAVE WICKS

The absolute satisfaction given by Nesco oil cook stoves can be proved by evidence of many thousands of users, better still, by actual demonstration right in ones own kitchen.

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### About Town and Country

By mutual agreement, the business men of Oyen will adopt early closing on Wednesday during the coming two months. All stores will be closed at one o'clock on Wednesday's during July and August.

Exel U.F.A. is holding its annual sports day at Exel on July 1st. Watch for posters.

Under instructions from the Municipal District of Bertawan, No. 271, B. H. Dial, auctioneer, will sell Horses and Farm Implements at the farm of the late G. C. Elliott, on the south-east quarter of 13 29.3 W4, on Saturday, June 20. Sale to commence at 2 p.m. See large bills.

Mina Oyen returned from Calgary last week after attending Normal School.

John F. Miller, eye specialist of 404 Underwood Block, Calgary, who has been making professional visits to our town, for some years, left Calgary last Saturday for a tour through Eastern Canada, European States. He is expected to return about September 1, when he will resume his regular visits.

Mrs. Theo. Patterson became critically ill at her home last Sunday night. She was brought into Oyen Hospital the following day to undergo an operation. Mrs. Patterson is reported to be making satisfactory progress.

Daniel Macgregor continues to draw large audiences at his Sunday evening lectures. The subject chosen for next Sunday is "The Coming Millennial Era of a Thousand Years and its Beneficent Events". Sunday, June 21, commencing at 8 p.m. Oyen Theatre.

Did you ever see anything grow like the garden stuff during the last week?

The dates set for Oyen's eleventh annual summer fair are July 23-24. Make preparations now for exhibiting. The prize lists are now in the hands of the Oyen News job printing department and will be available for distribution this week. Every adult in the district is asked to support the society by becoming a member and assist in getting the organization into a sound financial condition.

Don't knock. Fifteen ball in the middle pocket and eleven ball in corner pocket.

Mrs. J. T. Richardson, who left on a visit to England just over a month ago, reports her safe arrival after a most enjoyable voyage. At a fancy dress ball, on board, Mrs. Richardson, won first prize as Britania.

Weather conditions continue to be most favorable and crops are showing great growth.

#### Monster Masonic Picnic

at Siballd Beach July 8

The Masonic Lodges of Oyen, Siballd, Alaska and Loversa are uniting in a monster joint picnic at Siballd Beach on Wednesday, July 8. A very cordial invitation is extended to all Masons and their families to be present. A program of sports is arranged for the afternoon, commencing at 2 p.m. and all are urged to be on hand in good time to participate in the fun. "Cum on skinny, the water's fine". Bring your bathing suit along, and a basket of "eats".

#### SIBALD ITEMS

The home of J. H. Hick's on the McKnight place, was completely destroyed by fire last Wednesday.

H. M. Ball spent a few days in Edmonton last week on business.

The meeting of Siballd W. L. was held at the home of Mrs. Wright Speer, with thirty members present. Mrs. Jardine, delegate to the convention at Edmonton, brought back a very interesting report of the proceedings, which was much enjoyed by the members. Mrs. T. Scott was appointed vice-president to take the place of Mrs. McKeown who is retiring. At the close of the meeting, Mrs. E. Bray, on behalf of the institute presented Mrs. McKeown with a silver corsage as a farewell gift. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jardine.

Alex. Miller has returned from Aene district where he has been for some time past.

Mr. Alex. Smith has been appointed school trustee in place of Mr. Pat Mullaney, who is leaving the district.

Mr. E. J. McKeown has taken over, for a short time, the bakery at Hanna. His family left last Saturday to join him.

Pat Mullaney left last Saturday for Trail B.C.

Mrs. Dave Bohannon who left recently for Calgary to be with her father who is seriously ill has returned.

Billy Reardon has returned from Montreal.

The district was favored with a 2 hour rain yesterday afternoon. Moisture conditions have not been so favorable for a number of years. Crops are looking splendid.

Mrs. W. F. Pratt, and family, returned to town yesterday from Calgary.

A repair crew are at work on the A. P. elevator.

How is your subscription? If in arrears your address label will show you.

### Preserving Season

Is now starting. Strawberries are first on the list. Price this year is high—About \$5.00 per case. Sugar is about its lowest. Buy it by the cwt at \$8.85.

### Specials

Empress Golden Plum Jam, 4lb tins..... 65c  
Globe Pears, 4 tins for ..... 90c  
A few House Dresses left, each ..... 1.00

#### EARLY CLOSING WEDNESDAYS

By mutual agreement the business places of Oyen will be closed on Wednesdays at 1 p.m. during July and August. We ask our customers to keep this in mind to avoid disappointments.

**S. A. MILLER**  
OYEN'S CASH MERCHANT

### MANY SATISFIED CUSTOMERS APPRECIATE OUR SERVICE

Whether it is Gas, Oil, Accessories or Repairs you need, you may rely on courteous and efficient service. Our aim is to have

All Our Customers Satisfied Customers

### FORD OWNERS

Have your Magnetos re-charged. The price is reasonable—\$2.00—and you'll get better ignition, save gasoline and have more power.

Just a thought—Did you ever stop to wonder what Foster and the man who wrote "It Ain't Goin' To Rain No More" think these days?

### FOR RELIABLE SERVICE JOHNSON'S GARAGE

Main Street

Phone 14

### NOTICE TO FARMERS

For the convenience of farmers who still have wheat to bring in, The National Elevator at Lantana, Alta., will be open every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, for the balance of the month of June.

**NATIONAL ELEVATOR CO.**

O. F. Hymal, Buyer & Cereal, Alta.

### OGILVIE'S FLOUR AND FEED

Coming in soon.

**Quality Groceries**

**BOOTS and SHOES**

**OYEN TRADING COMPANY**

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For renewing or refinishing floors, furniture or woodwork

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WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Germany's reparations payments through the office of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development 100,000 marks during May.

The Free State Government has decided to take part in the movement for repatriating Ireland as a tourist resort.

A total of 58,254 applicants, 100,681 of whom were deadweight, attended the Olympic Games last summer, according to official figures.

The Hon. Henry Cockshutt, lieutenant-governor of Ontario, has been elected director of the Canadian Pacific Railway vice Sir Edmund Osler, deceased.

The first Baron Macdonnell, of Balfour, died June 1 in London at the age of 81. He will be remembered chiefly for his tenure of office as under secretary for Ireland from 1902 to 1908, when he was Sir Arthur Macdonnell.

Official circles categorically denied the recent report emanating from Paris to the effect that a number of young Germans were enroute to Mexico to become officers under Abdel-Krim in his war against the Allies.

Coleman James A. Logan, American observer on the reparations commission in Paris, has resigned for "personal and business" reasons, and his resignation has been accepted by Secretary Kellogg.

The Latvian Parliament has passed a law forbidding the sale of alcoholic drinks at restaurants, hotels, theatres, exhibitions, fairs, in provision shops, on board vessels in inland waters, on railway trains and in railway stations.

Moving with unexpected speed, the Belgian Government informed the state department, Washington, that it would send a commission to the latter part of July to negotiate the funding settlement of its debt to the United States.

Convicts at Sing Sing who can afford it are permitted to have radio apparatus in their cells. About a dozen have taken advantage of the privilege to have whole sets installed and some play others have had electric stoves connected with these sets.

T. D. Brown, K.C. of Regina, has been elected to the vacancy on the senate of the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, which was first filled by resignation this year. He defeated J. P. Bryant, of Regina, and will represent the city of Regina.

Protection for Irish home-industries, introduced in the last budget by the Free State finance minister, avowedly as an experiment to see whether it worked and whether it warranted a permanent place in the government's policy, is said to have proved successful.

## Decrease in Drug Addicts

Medical Care Instead of Prison Term Is Advocated

There has been a distinct decrease in the number of drug addicts in Canada in the last twelve months, according to a paper prepared by P. W. Cowan, superintendent of the federal health department, Ottawa, and read by Chief W. C. Craik, of Montreal, Oct. 2, at a session of the 21st annual convention of the Chief Constables' Association of Canada.

The paper contradicted the commonly held theory that use of narcotics caused crime. Narcotic drugs tended to make the addict, if he turned to crime, a criminal of the sneak thief type, and not of the aggressive head type. The number of young women and men becoming addicts was on a very definite decrease.

Mr. Cowan advocated medical care and treatment for the addicts rather than prison confinement.

## Cost Of Shipping Important

Information About B.C. Mines Wanted By British Capitalists

"It is not enough to tell us that you have minerals in your province," said the speaker, "but tell us what it will cost to bring them to the market. That is the deciding factor in the development of all properties."

In these words Sir John Davies, of Swansea, one of Great Britain's leading industrialists, advised directors of the British Columbia Chamber of Mines of the most effective method of bringing British capital into the development of the British Columbia mineral resources.

## Wheel Chair Tourist

James Thompson, an invalid for 10 years, is repelling his way across the country from Chino, N.M., to New York, in a wheel chair. On arriving at Indianapolis he said he had travelled 55 miles a day with the assistance of his hand trucks.

W. N. U. 1541

## From Down-By-The-Sea

Canada Eliminates Poison Gas

Canada Favors Idea of a Conference To Be Held At Washington

Canada at Geneva recalled to the idea of a conference to be held in Washington with a view to outlawing the use of poison gas in warfare, the suggestion having been advanced by T. E. Burton, the United States representative at the present conference on the control of arms. Canadian delegate, Dr. W. A. Riddell, supported the proposal.

Mr. Burton's view is that the fact that it was the Canadian troops—the first Canadian division—who had stood the first shock of poison gas when it was projected from the German trenches at Ypres, in April, 1915, thus emphasizing Canada's interest in any movement that would have for its aim the suppression of this method of waging war.

Timed by elegant appeals from Paul Boncour, France, and Mr. Burton, the conference, at a memorable session, went on record in favor of the immediate framing of a special protocol by which the use of asphyxiating gas in war time hereafter would be outlawed.

The protocol will stop on signature by all nations. It will be the first step in the way of doing something definite now to register condemnation of the barbarous poison gas warfare. But he said that if this was found impossible, he was authorized to announce that the president of the United States would be glad to extend an invitation for the convocation of a special conference in Washington.

War Widow Receives Long Missing Locket

Keepsake Worn By Husband in War Returned to Winnipeg Woman

A little gold locket, pathetic in its own condition, and still bearing veridical scars by years of exposure on the battlefields of France, has come back home at last. In September, 1916, it hung round the neck of Mrs. S. J. Bevan, of Winnipeg, and enclosed tiny snapshots of her husband and baby girl, Harriet. Today it is in Mrs. Bevan's possession again, and the clasp is gone and the photographs are faded and weather-worn.

The baby girl is eight years old, and the father who wore the locket joined the ranks of the heroes who fell at Vimy Ridge. Almost nine years from the day she last saw it, the locket arrived by registered mail, accompanied by a note from the Dominion department of national defence. The letter explained that the keepsake and the pictures had been forwarded from the imperial graves commission to Ottawa, to be sent on to their owner. They had been found on the battlefield, it said. Clearly discernible on the back of the locket, themselves blurred almost beyond recognition, are the words "Baby Bevan," and Mr. Bevan's name and regimental number. He was with the 1st C.M.R.C.

Monepiece Turns Over

A monepiece operated by the Falklands aeroplane corporation, carrying 12 passengers and a crew of two, was damaged when it made a landing recently at Ruby, Alaska. The plane was a biplane, and a crew of two was hurt, and the passengers continued their journey down the Yukon River by gasoline launch.

American-Born Canadian

According to the figures of the last Canadian census the care 274,024 residents of Canada who were born in the United States, of whom 237,894 are naturalized Canadians. Of the total of American-born, 244,906 are to be found in Western Canada.

The Income tax year has been abolished in Newfoundland.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JUNE 21

PETER DELIVERED FROM PRISON

Golden Text: The angel of the Jehovah encephalograph round about them that four him.

And delivereth them.—Psalm 24:7. Lesson: Acts 12:1-24.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 91:1-12.

The Text Explained and Illuminated James is Killed and Peter is Imprisoned, verses 1-4. Herod Agrippa I., grandson of Herod the Great, was now king of Palestine, and he began the first step to persecute the leaders of the church at Jerusalem.

He had James, the brother of John, beheaded, and this deed pleased the Jews, and it was the days of unleavened bread, the Passover was celebrated, because no leaven, or yeast, was allowed in Jewish homes while the festival lasted.

It was a time when the Jews were especially hostile to those who differed from them, and Herod, as Josephus says of him, "rejoiced in his evil in good reputation."

He sought to still further enhance his reputation by having Peter imprisoned to await his execution at the close of the Passover. Executions were not carried out during the Passover, as the festival must not be polluted by the shedding of blood.

Notably a Jew (his grandmother, Mariamne, was a Jewess) and most scrupulous as to all Jewish observances.

When Herod saw that it pleased the Jews, he proceeded to seize Peter. With a man first, he proceeded to take counsel of conduct in receiving popular applause he is led on to further excesses. A public speaker descends to a coarse and vulgar jest, and because it pleases the multitude, the audience, and the speaker is awarded a round of applause, he is prone to descend to still further degrees of degradation" (Dr. J. H. Jewett).

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## "The Town was Burned Three Days Later"



(1) The Wolfe headquarter, which survived the burning of St. Joachim, prior to the taking of Quebec, P.Q.  
(2) The second store is shown in the burning by Wolfe.  
(3) An old church with very beautiful and rare interior at St. Joachim, P.Q.

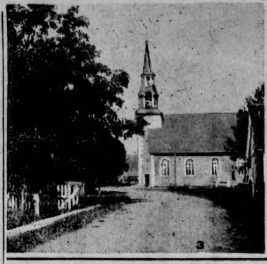
Some parts of the world seem to have been created merely as stores for the pencil of history. On some of these stores the copy once written has been allowed to stand for a little, and then expanded to make room for fresh text. On others the original text has been of such import that Time has only served to fix the text more indelibly, the "more" more vividly, as when painters of old varnished their pictures to bring out the colors and "fix" them.

Now there is not a reader but can bring to mind without the slightest effort on his part dozens of such "stores" in Canada. A million romances... to run serially, or each an entity in itself... might be swept from these earth-stores of the Dominion on to the printed page, and still leave a million more untold. And so it is that we learn to come back to the original state, the land itself, with its endless tales. The best short stories of this year and every year, past, present and to come.

Such a tiny state is the little village of Saint Joachim, a few miles from Quebec city. It begins in water-reeds, land from the toying waters of the St. Lawrence takes a couple of steps upward and spreads out into a plain on which some scattered farmhouses of ancient habitation type and a church have been flung as if by way of illustration. Then the plain steps up suddenly into a low bench and the bench in turn spreads out levelly for a little way and then suddenly leaps with vim into giant Cay Terrace, two thousand feet high, its head in the clouds and its feet eternally abate in the mighty river.

History had a mind to write a little six hundred word story here at the time she made up her mind to compose that greater romance in which she changed the text, on a state of continental magnitude, from French to English. So the set to work at once. And being herself all absorbed, like any modern business man by the larger work in hand, she dictated her St. Joachim chronicle to her secretary, General James Wolfe. Now the Wolfe pen was in the beginning a clear-cut sword that grew in passion as the tale unfolded to a torch, as military romances in olden times almost everywhere did. In order that there may be no comeback from the rear that might spoil disaster to the larger work when the sword had put to rout the villagers, the match was laid to the scattered farmhouses, and when the smoke cleared there only remained. And they remain to this day. Brought into greater prominence by the burning of the church, that they survived "when Wolfe burnt the place." Thus do present day disasters, rubbed and polished by the friction of the years, often change into assets of inestimable value.

So it falls out that Time, the great proof-reader, when he came to the manuscript written by Wolfe and days later.



his troops at Saint Joachim, approved of it in the main, but thought that he himself might add a line here and there which would add to the picture as a whole.

And though you may not think it, the touches that Time has added are the human interest touches. He tells that one of the houses, the low white one with the tall and stately Lombardy poplars, resembling Greek columns, in front, was "Wolfe's headquarters." He leaves it to us to screen in its doorway the scarlet-coated, lace-ruffled, powdered and bewigged soldier of that day, who for all "The pomp of power," which he knew by heart, had heart no doubt to regret the waste necessity for the torch, watching the then even more than hundred-year-old farmhouses at his feet, going up in flames.

So, too, here at Saint Joachim, Time brings out a French oil painting of Saint Louis de Gonsague and pointing to the eyes, says, "Tears were seen to fall from these eyes three days before the burning of Saint Joachim." The picture then hung in the workshop of Montpelier, Saint Joachim at that time being part of the vast seigneurie belonging to the eminent hands and saying that something terrible was going to happen to them." And, there on the margin of the old manuscript in Time's own handwriting is the illuminating line, "And the town was burned three days later."



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## OBITUARY

### Katy Ann Hallman

The death of Katy Ann Hallman, beloved wife of Josiah Hallman of this district, occurred at the home of her husband, south east of Oyen, on Monday June 15, after a short illness. On the day following, a short service was held at the Hallman home, early in the afternoon, after which the cortege proceeded to Oyen, where service was jointly conducted by Rev. Corcoran of Oyen and Rev. Hall of Acadia Valley. Interment followed at Oyen Cemetery.

The late Mrs. Hallman who died in her 70th year, was among the early settlers of this district, coming here 15 years ago with her husband. She was an ardent Church worker and a faithful attendant at the Church services held in Acadia Valley, and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. Her death, which was caused by pneumonia, after four days illness, came as a great shock to all members of the family and her wide circle of friends.

At both services, besides the immediate relatives, large gatherings of friends were present to pay their last respects.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Mr. Hallman and his family in their bereavement.

## Here and There

The entire Province of Prince Edward Island and adjacent islands have been leased for all prospecting purposes to Henry L. Doherty & Company, according to an announcement by the concern. The lease has been taken on option.

Indications are that 1925 will be one of the best tourist seasons ever experienced by Montreal. It is estimated that 750,000 people from all over the continent visited Montreal last year, while this year the number is placed at a million.

It is understood that a contract has been let for the laying of a submarine cable from Vancouver Island to Suva, Fiji Islands, by the Pacific Cable Board. This is part of the "All-red" cable and wireless route which is being established between British possessions the world over.

In order to facilitate the work of the air force patrol radio stations are being erected at the Pas, Norway House, Victoria Beach, and Fort Osborne Barracks, Winnipeg. The stations will be completed shortly and will have, it is stated, a radius of communication all over Canada.

"Judging from the amount of sound business activity noticeable here, British Columbia is launching into an era of constructive development which augurs well for her future prosperity," comments Grant Hall, Vice-President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who recently spent ten days on the Pacific Coast.

"So long as the Canadian Pacific Railway has a dollar left in its treasury, it will fight for the ideals, uphold the faith and maintain the precious heritage of confederation," said E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, when addressing the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at their annual convention held at Hamilton recently.

Eleven hundred pounds of speckled trout, gray trout and pike were the trophies taken back to New York recently by seven members of the Coughnaghen Hunting and Fishing Club, private preserve near Montreal, after a two-week stay on the fishing grounds. The catch included a 10-lb. gray trout and the average weight worked out at around eight pounds.

Frank W. Ashby, secretary of the Australian Manufacturers' Association, visiting here recently, said the impression in Australia was that Canada was the back door to the North Pole. People in the Antipodes think that Herschel Island and Baffin's Bay are linked up municipally with Montreal and Winnipeg, he said. He was surprised to find the Dominion had a delightful climate and cities more modern than those in Australia.

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

### FOR SALE

WORK HORSES FOR SALE—20 head to select from. Well matched teams. Young, gentle and in good fit. R. C. Hallman, Acadia Valley P.O., Phone 1300, Sibbald.

FOR SALE—3 registered young horses, Berkshires, Bacon Type. Apply at once to W. W. Ireland, Oyen.

FOR SALE—A spring tined cultivator or other farm machinery. Apply to C. D. McMillan, Bank of Toronto, Oyen.

STRAYED—2 year old Clyde colt, light bay, white face and four legs white. No brands. I have a few hundred bushels of oats for sale. W. Blue, Oyen.

### WANTED

I WANT TO DO—Summer fallow plowing, about 200 acres, at \$2.75 per acre, or 100 acres prairie breaking at \$1.00 per acre. Engine work. Who wants this done? Apply Sam Kornichenko, Oyen.

### LOST

STRAYED—From my place at Oyen about ten days ago, one Toulouse gander, good large bird. Please advise Sam Kornichenko, Oyen.

## At the Elevators.

	Wheat
1 Northern	1.49
2 Northern	1.39
3 Northern	1.34

	Oats
1 C.W.	.43
2 C.W.	.39
No. 1 feed	.30

## LEGAL NOTICES

**Municipal District of Cereal No. 242**  
PUBLIC SALE OF UNREDEEMED LANDS UNDER THE TAX RECOVERY ACT OF 1922.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Treasurer of the Municipal District of Cereal No. 242 will offer the following lands for sale by Public Auction at the Municipal Office in the Village of Oyen, on Saturday June 20th 1925, at 2 o'clock p.m.  
Terms of sale, Cash at time of Sale.  
N.E. 1/4 6254 West of 4th.  
N.W. 1/4 21374 West of 4th.  
N.W. 1/4 20284 West of 4th.  
S.E. 1/4 15265 West of 4th.  
N.E. 1/4 23604 West of 4th.  
S.E. 1/4 31274 West of 4th.  
W. H. Peterson, Treasurer.  
Municipal District of Cereal No. 242

### A Modern Fable

A man went into a store in a western town the other day and asked the price of an article. The dealer informed him that it would cost \$3.25. "That's too much," said the prospective customer, "I can get that at a mail order house for \$2.80." "That's about what it costs me," said the customer, "but I'll sell it to you on the same terms as the mail order people." "All right, I'll take it. Charge it up to my account." "Not on your life," replied the dealer. "You can't have it charged at the mail order house. Come across." The customer handed over the cash. "Now 3 cents postage and 7 cents for money order." 10 cents was handed over. "Now 35 cents for express charges, please." "Hollen Tommy!" said the customer—but he handed over the 35 cents. "Now let me have it and I'll take it home before you think up anything else." "Hand it over!" I should say not. You'll have to wait a week—the time it would take you to get it from the mail order house." And the dealer turned to his cash register, put the money in the till, and the parcel back on the shelf. "That makes \$3.25, exactly my original price, and it takes you a week longer to get it."

## Professional Cards

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Dr. H. C. Swartzlander  
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Dr. T. F. Holt  
Dental Surgeon

Graduate of Toronto University  
Office with Dr. Swartzlander  
Out of Town Thursday, Friday and Saturday

### VETERINARY SURGEON

John P. Kerr  
Veterinary Surgeon

Graduate of Ontario  
Veterinary College.  
Oyen, Alta

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Barrister, Solicitor,  
Notary Public

Agent for Holland-Canada Mortgage Co. and North British and Mercantile Insurance Company, Limited  
Oyen, Alberta

J. J. Kelly, L. L. B.

Barrister, Solicitor and  
Notary Public  
Money to Loan  
Oyen, Alberta

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and Marine Insurance.

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Oyen Lodge No. 16

There will be a  
meeting in our  
Castle Hall on  
June 11, 1925.

E. D. Thygesen C. L. Dunford  
K.R.G. C.G.

## Here and There

Canada spent \$45,056,179 last year for pensions and re-establishment of Veterans of the Great War, according to a report recently issued from Ottawa by the department in charge of this work.

Without a dissentient voice over 4,000 cattle owners in 20 districts have voted to make Prince Edward Island a disease-free area under the Department of Agriculture arrangement which calls for a two-thirds vote of all cattle owners.

Two thousand young buffalo from the Wainwright herd will make a 70-mile trek northward this summer to the buffalo reserve on the Slave River where they will be turned loose to mingle with the wood bison which roam that area.

"In all parts of Canada and the United States," according to Robt. G. Hodgson, editor of the Fur Trade Journal of Canada, "Muskrat farms are being established, mostly on a large scale and they are rapidly turning what was once marshland of little value into the most productive part of the farm." Mr. Hodgson adds.

The record established recently at Acme when 114 horses worked in one field at the time seeding the crop of Mrs. C. W. King, has been broken at Gadsby, Alberta. When the neighbors of J. B. Hall who recently suffered a broken arm, put in his 100-acre crop, 39 outbursts were at work on one day and 176 horses. The crop was put in in a single day.